



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application of: A. Sood, et al. Group Art Unit: To be assigned  
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**First Preliminary Amendment**

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**Introductory Comments**

Sir:

Please consider the following amendments and remarks in connection with the prosecution of the captioned application.